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E.O. 11652: ADS, DECLASSIFY UPON RECEIPT
TAGS: PINS, SF, WA
SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: SWAPO MEMBER RELEASED AND DEPORTED

REF: (A) CAPE TOWN 533, AND PREVIOUS

1. SWAPO MEMBER PETER MANNING, WHO WAS DETAINED IN WINDHOEK UNDER THE TERRORISM ACT ON JANUARY 9 AND SUBSEQUENTLY CHARGED UNDER THE OFFICIAL SECRETS ACT AND TERRORISM ACT (CAPE TOWN 422, 176), WAS RELEASED FROM PRISON ON APRIL 20 AND LEFT NAMIBIA FOR EUROPE ON AN EXIT PERMIT ON APRIL 21. PRESS REPORTS STATE THAT THE EXIT PERMIT REMOVED MANNING'S SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZENSHIP AND DECLARED HIM A PROHIBITED IMMIGRANT IN BOTH SOUTH AFRICA AND SOUTH WEST AFRICA. THE REPORTS ALSO QUOTED MANNING AS SAYING THAT HE LEFT NAMIBIA "UNDER PROTEST." IN A PRESS CONFERENCE AFTER HIS ARRIVAL IN LONDON, MANNING REPORTEDLY SAID HE HAD PASSED TO SWAPO DETAILS
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OF SOUTH AFRICAN MILITARY INSTALLATIONS IN NAMIBIA AND EVIDENCE OF SOUTH AFRICAN OPERATIONS IN ANGOLA.

2. IN SOUTH AFRICA, MEANWHILE, TWO PERSONS HAVE BEEN SENTENCED TO JAIL FOR REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS RELATED TO THE MANNING CASE. ON MARCH 22, MANNING'S PREGNANT SISTER, KATHY BURT, WAS SENTENCED IN JOHANNESBURG

TO FOUR MONTHS' IMPRISONMENT FOR REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS
PUT TO HER BY A MAGISTRATE. IN CAPE TOWN, FORMER STUDENT LEADER
NICHOLAS HAYSOM WAS SENTENCED ON APRIL 17 TO A YEAR IN JAIL FOR
REFUSING TO ANSWER QUESTIONS. BOTH ARE NOW OUT ON BAIL,
HAYSOM AFTER HAVING SPENT FOUR DAYS IN PRISON. MANNING
REPORTEDLY SAID IN LONDON THAT BOTH ARE NOW FREE TO TELL
POLICE WHAT THEY KNOW.
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